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Cambrian Students Entertain Grange With Court Scenes

Seventh and eighth grade pupils of the Cambrian school, of which Mrs. Archie Keesling is principal, entertained the members of the Orchard City grange Tuesday night with a dramatization of scenes in a county naturalization court.

The playlet, written by Mrs. Keesling from notes she had taken while accompanying members of her evening citizenship classes to court, was diverting and instructive. The students played their characters understandingly. Particularly noteworthy were the bonafide courtroom manners displayed by Joe Bohnett, as judge, John Bagoye, bailiff, and Tom Bohnett, and Douglas Carlyle as clerk and examiner.

Other characters were taken by Ruth James, Harry Warman, Chester Stojanovich, Warren Knopf, Ruth Hocking, Louis Ragnacci, Aruds Hoerler, Erma Dewey, and Jack Kopp, candidates; and Ione Gardner, Mildred Matthews, Toyoko Oka, Theron Hoerler, Rano Bugliosi, Francis Cataci, Josephine Sherlock, Evera Guida, Vincent Pazkicevich, and Ruth Richmond as witnesses.

The regular business meeting of the grange was presided over by Lawrence Hendricks, worthy master. The grange, after hearing a report by Harry Barnes, state executive committeeman, who stated that no definite move to recall Governor James Rolph had been made by the state master, voted to table a resolution from Mountain View grange opposing the recall action.

Committee reports occupied most of the evening. R. B. Hummel, chairman of the legislative committee, outlined the plans of his group. Leroy Anderson and Lute White, also on the legislative group, talked briefly, discussing present-day legislative bills.

Stanley B. Smith spoke for the cooperation committee. L. L. Merrill and W. H. Woodbury for the orchard and farm committee, and Mark Purmort and Louis Shelley for the poultry committee. W. H. Woodbury advised orchardists to watch out for borers in their trees, since they are quite prevalent this year. Horace Keesling reported the plans of the garden committee and the publicity committee.

Speaking for the taxation committee were E. K. Clendening, M. F. Hughes, Harry Barnes, Herbert M. Shadle, Lute White, and R. B. Hummel.

Herbert M. Shadle, of the civic improvement committee, announced the program for Old Settlers' day, Feb. 22.

Valentine refreshments were served after the meeting.

DR. CHAS. KNIGHT WILL TAKE PULPIT IN M. E. CHURCH

The Rev. Dr. Charles S. Knight, San Jose, noted speaker and writer, will occupy the pulpit of the M. E. church next Sunday, Feb. 19, during both morning and evening services.

The regular morning worship will be held at 11 a.m.

An illustrated lecture on the pyramids of Egypt will be given by Dr. Knight during the evening hour, beginning at 7:30.

Town Ready to Celebrate Annual Old Settlers' Day

THIEVES LOOT CAFETERIA AT LOCAL SCHOOL

Thieves Monday night broke into the grammar school cafeteria and made off with a considerable quantity of food. Entrance was gained through the dressing rooms in the auditorium. An old spring leaf was the instrument used to pry the door open.

Deputy sheriff Al Covey and Constable Frank Coupland are working on the case. A number of finger prints were found on the scene of the crime, and Mr. Covey is endeavoring to match them up with some of those in the collection at the sheriff's office.

S. P. Offers Rates On Excursions To San Francisco

With two big events of widespread public interest scheduled in San Francisco over the Washington's birthday period, the Southern Pacific Company today announced plans for a double offering of Dollar Day excursions in connection with the bay city festivities.

In effect from all California stations to San Francisco, the first series of cent-a-mile train rides will be operated February 21 and 22, according to C. T. Tanner, agent for the railroad here. These low fares, he pointed out, will accommodate travel to the Fields-Corbett championship boxing match and opening of San Francisco's War Memorial building on Washington's Birthday.

The second excursion program, it was stated, will include three days, February 24, 25 and 26, with cent-a-mile fares offered between all points on Southern Pacific's lines in six western states. Ground breaking ceremonies for the Golden Gate Bridge project will be held in San Francisco on Sunday, February 26, with the United States battle fleet in the harbor.

Excursionists will have until March 7, to complete their round-trips in all cases, according to the announcement.

Stephen Merrill Wins Ovation At Theater

Stephen Merrill, Campbell's much admired tenor and national radio audition winner, won great applause at his initial appearance at the Fox-California theater last Friday night, when he opened his series of all-request programs.

His three numbers, "Bird Songs at Eventide," "My Wild Irish Rose," and "My Darling," were given with a sweetness and tone quality which made them much appreciated.

Dave Good, who introduced Mr. Merrill, also presented Miss Eva Black, of the R. C. A. Victor company, for which Merrill is making phonograph records, who prophe-

Everything is ready for Campbell's big annual festivity, Old Settlers' day, to be held next Wednesday, Feb. 22, local civic officials announce. The program is completely mapped out; the speakers are scanning their notes; the musicians are practicing their scales; the actors are rehearsing their lines. Just the flags and the crowds and the day are now awaited, before the celebration is ushered into Campbell town.

Herbert M. Shadle, president of the chamber of commerce and chairman of the day, announces the following program.

The morning program, in charge of Guy Farley, will open at 10 a.m. with a concert by the local high school band, under the direction of A. A. Thielke. Following this, a male quartet, sponsored by Easton Kent, San Francisco, and including Stephen Merrill in its membership, will present a thirty-minute program. The speaker of the morning will be Dr. Tully C. Knowles, president of the College of Pacific.

A delicious luncheon will be served at noon in the school cafeteria, by members of the Congregational guild.

The afternoon's program, under the auspices of the Campbell Country Woman's club, will open at 1:30 p. m., in the grammar school auditorium, with community singing. Solos will be given by Muriel Palmer Rudolph and by Arthur Downing. The Rev. Mark Rifenbark, San Jose Episcopal church, will address the crowds.

An exciting feature in the afternoon's events will be the organization of a Santa Clara County Old Settlers' association by J. Henry Campbell, son of the founder of Campbell. The question as to who is the oldest settler in the valley will be decided at that time. All Old Settlers are invited to join this club, and are asked to bring any old deeds, maps, pictures, grants, and other data, which will be of interest to those assembled.

Afternoon sports will include a baseball game, arranged by Antone Ferro, and a basketball game, planned by Ralph E. Noddin, Campbell high coach.

The local Kiwanis club, under direction of Ira R. Abbott, is planning the evening program, which will be held in the school auditorium, and will include numbers by the grammar school faculty and students. The grammar school orchestra, directed by A. A. Thielke, will give several numbers. "The Story Book Ball," a play, will be given by intermediate grade pupils, under the direction of Miss Ora Jasper. Two dances, "The Snowflake Dance," and "The Valentine Dance," will be given by pupils of Miss Ruth Adele Roberts. An amusing skit, "The Betti-Attitudes," will be given by the faculty, assisted by members of the San Jose State men's glee club.

It is expected that the young singer would reach great heights in the musical world.

Mr. Merrill will appear each Thursday, from 12:15 to 12:30 p.m. over K F R C, in a program sponsored by the California theater, the R. C. A. Victor company, and the local Sherman and Clay company.

UNION PACIFIC CHIEF TO GIVE TRAVELOGUES

The delights of travelling while cozily ensconced in a warm, quiet room will be presented to interested Campbell folk next Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock, when R. M. Ritchey, manager of the San Jose branch of the Union Pacific system, appears before the Country Woman's club at the community hall.

Mr. Ritchey will display gorgeous photographs of scenes in Zion canyon, Grand canyon, Bryce Canyon, Grand Teton and Yellowstone, and will accompany them with a diverting lecture.

Everyone interested in seeing the beauties of the west is cordially invited to attend the meeting, which is open to the public.

In charge of the afternoon's program are Mrs. Roy G. Archibald, chairman, Mrs. Neil O. Best, and Mrs. Louis Shelley.

Frank H. Cutting Discusses Art At Pundita Circle

Speaking on "Composition in Art," Frank Cutting, local artist spoke to members of the Pundita circle at a meeting held last Wednesday at the home of Mrs. George W. Page. Mr. Cutting's own paintings were used as an illustration of his thesis and he was assisted in displaying them by Mrs. Cutting.

Guest artist of the day was Mrs. Herbert M. Shadle, who sang "Long Ago," and "The Violet."

Assisting Mrs. Page as hostesses were Mrs. George W. Burrow and Miss Annie Schulte, the latter acting as chairman of the program.

Dainty spring flowers decorated the Page residence; fragrant Chirise lilies and fleur-de-lis were appropriate for the season.

Guests present Wednesday afternoon were Mrs. George Medlock, Willow Glen, and the Misses Elizabeth Mumma and Frances Smith. Campbell high school.

Club members and their guests enjoyed dainty refreshments and a pleasant social hour.

The next meeting of the Pundita circle is being held today at the home of Mrs. B. O. Curry, Parra avenue. Mrs. Laura Schulte Allen will be in charge of the program, whose subject is to be "Architecture." The topic will be divided into two parts, the first being presented by Mrs. Walker Vaughn and the second by Madame Mazurova George.

Jobless Men Should Go To Forestry Camps

Single men need not go begging on the streets of Campbell, announces Mrs. W. I. Merrill, chairman of the local relief council, who calls attention to the statement of Max Watson, county adult probation officer, declaring that the state forestry camp at Almaden provides a place for unemployed, single men.

Watson, who visited the camp recently, recommends that men in need of work or food should register for admission to this camp. The

High Cage Teams Play Final Tilts, Santa Clara, Friday

Playing the game which may decide the valley league championship, Campbell high cagers meet Santa Clara high teams at Santa Clara high school Friday night.

Coach Ralph Noddin's unlimited team, since its defeat of the Live Oak heavies last week, is tied with Mountain View for the top position in the league. A win from Santa Clara, if Mountain View should lose its own tilt, would cinch the position. If Mountain View wins, also, the two teams will be scheduled for a game to play off the tie.

The lightweight team of Campbell, already in an unassailable position at the top of its division in the league, hopes to add one more win to its eight previous ones. The lightweights suffered one loss last week, being defeated by Live Oak, 22 to 20.

Query Quint Starts Belated Season With Win Over Los Gatos

Last Wednesday night at the local gymnasium the Campbell Query club basketball squad took on and defeated the Los Gatos high school alumni team 30 to 27.

The score would undoubtedly have been more one-sided had not Coach Fred Long given all his boys a chance to play, returning his stars to the court only when the game seemed to be in doubt.

Playing for the Querys in this contest were: Robinson, captain, center; V. Murty, M. Murty, r. f.; Edlemon, Rose, l. f.; Gomes, Nunes, Devitt, r. g.; Gray, Gardner, l. g.

Friday night a team including M. and V. Murty, Gray, Gomes and F. Gardner accompanied the Naval quint to Hollister where the latter played the town team and the local boys tangled with a second team.

Thursday night here, at 7:30, two Query teams, lightweights and unlimiteds, will clash with two like teams of the Santa Clara alumni. The local boys are going strong, and the games should be well worth seeing.

Grangers Discuss Activities of Lodge

Meeting to discuss the welfare of the county granges, these Campbell grangers met with other county grange masters last Wednesday at the San Jose chamber of commerce.

Lawrence Hendricks, worthy master; E. K. Clendening, Harry Barnes, S. N. Hedegard, J. E. Wiesendanger, William R. Coupland, and Frank H. Benson.

men there work under pleasant conditions, enjoy good food and comfortable housing, and they have time and equipment for recreation, the officer says.

Campbell citizens receiving requests for aid from unemployed, unattached men, should send them to the forestry camp.

Current Comment

Wishing to give our readers a variety of opinions on Technocracy, we offer the following statement of Frederick H. McDonald, secretary of the executive committee of the engineering economics division of the American Society of Civil Engineers:

"The project assumes the guise of responsible engineering and scientific approval," Mr. McDonald said, "while using the most unorthodox methods of publicizing an unsubstantiated proposal that smacks of charlatanism and bids fair to rank as the cleverest pseudo-scientific hoax ever yet perpetrated."

"Technocracy is a fanatic fixation on the subject of an otherwise sane and progress-developing term—technology, which is the careful application of science to the production, processing and distributing of goods."

"Undoubtedly there has been a phase of intense economic intemperance that is imposing a slow recovery. Unfortunately there is no panacea for the results of bad judgment. There can be devised no guaranty of individual success. And there is no way of legislating prosperity."

"Technocracy is a misconception of the object of living. Its defecation of the technical is a fanatic fixation that makes the term 'technocracy' far more applicable to its magnified fetish of machine domination and materialism."

"The promoters behind this 'techno-crazy' hallucination have made a purported dream into a nightmare of conclusions. Using routine engineering principles for the plotting of routine performance curves they have promulgated unsupported predictions based on the projection into the future of normal processes carried to fanatic extremes."

"This is wildecating of science in a Ponzi-like scheme for baiting labor with chimerical profits into a despotic slavery for the gathering unto a self-anointed few the control of the wealth of the world. It has not even the saving grace of being funny."

And there, folks, you have Mr. McDonald's opinion of Technocracy. We feel that we have been kind to that gentleman for publishing an indictment so sparsely sprinkled with evidence. Too, we dislike to see anything torn apart unless the wrecking crew has something better to offer. Still, as the mouthpiece for an organization like the American Society of Civil Engineers, his word should carry some weight.

Personally, we take exception to the last sentence in the third paragraph of his remarks: "And there is no way of legislating prosperity." Thoroughly untrue is this statement, and widely quoted by the "big men" of our country. It is beginning to affect us as a red cape does a bull.

There is a remedy. The country's leaders know what it is, but they haven't the intestinal fortitude to set the wheels in motion. And that state of affairs isn't to be wondered at, either, for the "leaders" are either industrialists with enough cash reserve to carry them through, or they are statesmen, drawing fat salaries from the federal government, and don't care if the depression is never lifted, so long as they are able to hang onto their jobs.

We refer to a \$15,000,000,000 public works program which would first absorb our 12,000,000 unemployed, and later return over half of them to their former jobs, and

Query Club Is In Market For More Members

The Query club, Campbell's new organization for young men who have either graduated or "quituated" from school, is desirous of securing as large a membership as possible. There are no less than 80 or 100 eligible fellows in the community, and to date no more than 40 have showed up at the various activities.

The club, sponsored by several local business men including Dr. F. R. Anderson, Dick Knappen, Carl Field, Roy Archibald, Joe Bennett, Herbert Shadle, Horace Lea, Fred Long, Guy Farley, and Harry Smith, is designed to furnish recreation at no cost to the recipients thereof, and renew waning interest in the manly sports.

So far, considerable interest has been evidenced in basketball, but there are still a few fellows to show up. Fred Long, faculty member at the high school, is coaching this group, and would like to have some more candidates.

Pistol shooting has brought forth about ten genuinely interested aspirants. There is room for at least twice that many, and if enough enthusiasm is displayed a small bore rifle team will be formed later. Dick Knappen and Doc Anderson coach these boys Wednesday nights at 7 o'clock, Scout hall.

Boxing and wrestling should interest more fellows. Mighty good for the wind, and the average chap likes to know how to handle his "dukes." Bart Guttormsen, instructor, hopes to get enough fellows interested so that he will be justified in getting some of the top-notchers, past and present, to come out and give a few pointers.

Baseball season is coming on. The sponsors hope to get a real, honest-to-goodness Campbell team in the field this spring. There is a practically unlimited supply of material which should give a good account of itself in the Valley league, and it is a sport which is sure to receive the support of local business men. Tony Ferro has offered his services to the potential ball team.

In addition to these activities there are other means of entertain-

which would retain the several millions of workers who are, even in times of "prosperity," unemployed.

That's all.

MEN ARRESTED FOR DRUNKENNESS BY LOCAL DEPUTIES

Arrested last Tuesday night after a drunken brawl and a subsequent attempt at a getaway from Deputy Sheriff Harry Evans and Constable Frank Coupland, George C. Kinkey, 27, was bound over to the superior court when he appeared before Justice of the Peace J. D. Blaine Thursday on a charge of drunken driving.

His companion of Tuesday's escapade, Fred Purdick, 31, was given a suspended sentence of six months, after his plea of guilty to a charge of disturbing the peace.

The two had dashed from a house on Dillon avenue, while being questioned by Coupland and Evans, who were called to the place by neighbors who complained of the noise.

P.T.A. EARNS \$40 FOR LUNCH FUND AT DINNER FRI.

Almost \$40 was raised for the undernourished children's lunch fund by the Friendship dinner given by the Campbell grammar school P. T. A. in the school cafeteria last Friday night.

About 185 persons reserved seats at the banquet, which was in charge of Mrs. Harry Rediker, president of the organization.

Lively entertainment was furnished by Mike Novokovich, Geraldine Jurras, Wilbur Morton, Vincent Fratangelo, and Genevieve Serpa. The Girls' glee club, directed by Mrs. Ruth Stuart, presented several numbers.

ment which can be readily gotten under way. The ability to play a good hand of bridge, for instance, never hurts a fellow socially, and the intricacies of chess leave the average chap wondering how he ever got out of school at all. These and other things can be enjoyed at the Scout hall, with red-hot instruction, anytime a few of the less athletically inclined fellows want to get them going. Make known your wants to any of the men in charge.

When a few more members are recruited an attempt will be made to organize more thoroughly, with club officers, committees, etc.

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WOMEN INJURED IN AUTO COLLISION, SAN JOSE, SUNDAY

Mrs. Dan A. Yeager and Mrs. Margaret Burgess narrowly escaped serious injury Sunday when the car in which they were riding was struck by an auto driven by Dr. Smith of Hollister, at the intersection of Vine and Grant streets, San Jose.

The accident occurred Sunday morning. Mrs. Yeager, who was driving the family car, was crossing the intersection at a 15-mile-an-hour rate when Smith approached at a fast speed, disregraded the crossing, and crashed into Mrs. Yeager's car.

Both women were severely shaken. Mrs. Yeager's arm was bruised, and Mrs. Burgess sustained injuries to her leg. The front end of the Yeager car was quite badly smashed.

STENOTYPE CLASS PRESENTS PLAYLET VALENTINE'S DAY

A dramatization, "A Valentine Party at Ye Old School," given by members of Mrs. Dart's stenotyping class, entertained the student body of Campbell high school at an assembly Tuesday.

Characters in the playlet were: Joseph Fisci, the announcer, Joe; Vincent Buccelato, Huckleberry Finn; Thelma Carter, Eva; Emma Dober, Topsy; Nina Fay Sanford, Becky; Vincent Fisci, Sidney; Lulu Murdock, the teacher; Margaret Smith, Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm; Mrs. Anna Dart, Miss Ophelia; Lois Bachman, Little Orphan Annie; Melvin DeSelle, Tom Sawyer; and Dennis Bennett, Joseph Thiltgen, and Idell Fulton, and other scholars.

MASONS INITIATE BILL ROBINSON MONDAY NIGHT

Upon William Robinson, son of T. Arthur Robinson, was conferred the third degree of the Masonic order at a Past Masters' meeting of the local Charity lodge held Monday night.

A corps of Campbell Past Masters conferred the degree.

A large crowd attended the ceremonies, with visitors from San Jose, Los Gatos, and Berkeley.

Robert Scholz, Dr. W. I. Merrill, T. A. Robinson, Roy Archibald, and Charles E. DeSelle, all Past Masters, were in charge of the evening. A late evening luncheon was served to guests and members.

Black Demonstrates Police Work Sunday At Scout Program

Captain Black and a detail from the San Jose police will show pictures and give a demonstration of their work at the Congregational church Sunday night, at 7:45 p. m. according to the announcement of the Rev. Joseph H. Bennett, pastor. The program will be part of a scout court of honor, at which local Boy Scouts and Sea Scouts will receive honors and awards. All parents and friends are cordially invited to attend.

Mrs. Julius Bachman will entertain members of her bridge club this evening at her home on Everett avenue. Preceding the evening of bridge the members will enjoy a Chinese dinner in San Jose.

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Bachrodt Attacks Bush Bill No. 543

San Jose, Feb. 15—Pointing out that proposals embodied in the Bush bills pending before the legislature at Sacramento strike directly at the control by the people of their school districts, Walter L. Bachrodt, superintendent of San Jose schools and director of the California Teachers association, today declared that the Bush bills in fact were "an attack on our very fundamental conceptions of democracy." He cited as a specific example of the Bush school bills, Senate Bill 543.

Under the present state laws, Bachrodt said, the school districts of the state, with the exception of a few of the major cities, are controlled by boards of trustees elected by the people of the districts, on the theory that the people of each district are best able to judge of their educational requirements and the financial support each district could afford for school purposes.

Under the Bush bills control of school budgets would be taken from the trustees of the districts and placed in the hands of county boards of supervisors elected by supervisorial districts in practically every county of the state.

"Senator Bush's bill No. 543 might well be called 'Smashing Democracy,'" said Bachrodt's statement. "This bill proposes to give the county supervisors the right to change school budgets. In practically every county in the state the county supervisors are elected by districts. This means that the people in a given district vote for only one of the five supervisors. Senator Bush's proposal would let any four supervisors that the people of a fifth district did not vote for, actually run the financial side of their schools.

"Under the present law the people of each district have full power over their school trustees. This law

COPIES OF SENATE BILLS AT LIBRARY

According to Mrs. Lilian Voge, local librarian, a complete set of bills as introduced in the state legislature will shortly be available to patrons of the library.

Senator Herbert C. Jones and Assemblyman C. C. Cottrell are responsible for this service, and advised Mrs. Voge that copies of any bill may be had by the individual who will write to the secretary of the senate, clerk of the assembly, or to the state printer at Sacramento.

brings the schools close to the people. It is an ideal expression of the very essence of democratic control. To legislate the people out of this direct control is an attack on the fundamental conceptions of democracy. It further would subject the individual districts to the pull and haul of county seat politics.

"We elect school trustees to run school affairs under the present state laws. They are responsible directly to the people of the districts. By the proposed Bush law we would be asked to place our schools in the hands of officials over whom the school districts have neither direct nor indirect control. It is an attack on a fundamental democratic principle."

PISTOLS, BOXING AROUSE INTEREST IN LOCAL CLUB

Wednesday night a group of ten or twelve fellows showed up at the Scout hall for pistol instruction. Starting the previous week, this group displayed a lot of interest and considerable adaptability in the sport.

Dr. F. R. Anderson coached the boys Wednesday evening, and reports that anyone aspiring to the job will have to step on it in order to keep ahead of his pupils.

Friday night about ten fellows showed up at the hall for boxing instruction and calisthenics. Bart Guttormsen was popular with the boys as instructor, and is anxious to see more fellows out for this sport.

Program for this week includes pistol coaching at the hall tonight, with Mr. Knappen coaching, and inviting all eligible fellows to be on hand. Ammunition is being furnished until a steady group is assembled, after which candidates will be required to bring their own

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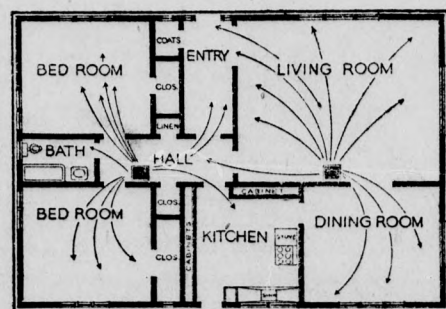
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Mr. Guttormsen will instruct all comers in boxing Friday night at 7:30, Scout hall, and urges a good turn-out. There is a certain amount of work to be done at the hall in connection with this class, such as erecting a board for the light bag, fixing up several heavy bags, and putting up the ropes for a ring. Any of the fellows who are interested in helping should see Guttormsen at his home on Page avenue after 6:45 p. m., or Walter Prout at the Busy Bee.

Reports of basketball activities will be found under a different heading.

Group 3 of the Congregational guild will meet at the home of Mrs. H. C. Smith this Thursday, with Mrs. Ben Austin assisting Mrs. Smith.

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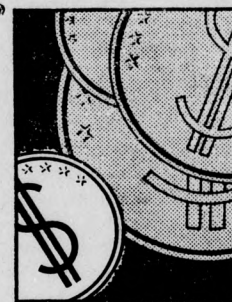
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Must Register By Feb. 18 To Vote School Ballot

San Jose, Feb. 15—Attention of voters is drawn to the fact that those who failed to vote at the last election must re-register by the 18 of February in order to exercise their franchise at the coming school election.

This information was issued from the department of registration, county clerk's office.



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THE FARMERS CORNER

By Ralph H. Taylor

California's tangled financial and taxation problem, paramount issue of the 1933 state legislature, both in its relation to agriculture and the welfare of the state generally, is still far from solution.

With the lawmakers back in their home districts for the 30-day intermission between sessions, the legislative box score for the first month tallies about as follows:

Refusal to submit emergency measures to the people to curtail school costs or other "fixed charges." Refusal to accept the Rolph budget for the coming two years, due largely to its provisions for shifting certain costs back to the counties and local government.

Failure, at the first session, to submit a substitute budget.

Recommendations, through the Bush economy committee, for many drastic and far-reaching reductions in the cost of general government. The work of this committee constituted the only positive action of the session toward effecting economy.

Many programs, but no action. The chief characteristic of the legislative mind on tax questions, during the opening session, was indecisiveness. This was due, in part, to a wide divergence of opinion on the part of general taxpayers and public bodies on means of equalizing the tax load.

Introduction of measures to increase taxes on public utilities, especially telephone and power companies.

Submission, during the last days of the session, of a plan for sweeping revision of the state and county tax structure. This program, the most comprehensive and revolutionary measure submitted, was drafted by state controller Ray L. Riley and introduced by senators Jerrold Seawell, Placer county; Will Sharkey, Contra Costa county; Edward H. Tickle, Monterey county; A. L. Pierovich, Amador county; Bradford S. Crittenden, San Joaquin county; Bert B. Snyder, Santa Cruz county; Joe Riley, Inyo county; and Leonard J. Difani, Riverside county.

Casting up the ledger on the first session, the chief danger to the taxpayer seems to lie in the indecisiveness of the legislature—the possibility that inability to "get together" on a program may thwart solution of the problem and terminate in the imposition of an ad valorem, or state property tax.

Most reassuring, however, in in-

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Estate of MARY E. GREENE, Deceased. Notice is hereby given by the undersigned Executor of the last Will and Testament of Mary E. Greene, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said decedent, to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court in and for Santa Clara County, California, within six (6) months after the first publication of this Notice, or within said period to exhibit the same, with the necessary vouchers, to the said Executor at the office of Bohnett, Hill & Cottrell, Room 807 First National Bank Building, in the City of San Jose, County of Santa Clara, State of California, where all business connected with said estate will be transacted.

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Executor of the last Will and Testament of Mary E. Greene, Deceased.
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Campbell News Jots

Group One of the Congregational guild will meet Thursday at the home of Mrs. Carl B. Field, with Mrs. B. O. Curry and Mrs. C. E. Farman assisting as hostesses.

Members of the Santa Clara County Consolidated chambers of commerce will be entertained by the local chamber of commerce and Kiwanis club next Tuesday noon, Feb. 21, 1933, in the community hall at a dinner meeting. This meeting should prove a send-off to the Old Settlers Day program on the next day.

dicating that the legislators are seeking a way out of the financial wilderness, is the growing recognition that a state property tax would be ruinous to agriculture and business alike and that something must be done to lighten the oppressive burden on the owners of real property.

The far-reaching Riley plan, while it is yet to be weighed and tested, at least demonstrates a commendable determination to cope with the problem.

In brief, this plan would cut in half present taxes on farm and other real property, limiting to 50 per cent the amount of county and state revenue that could be raised from taxes on real and personal property and improvements.

It would also return all public utility corporation property to the counties for taxation, junking the present state gross receipts tax, and providing, as a substitute, for the levying of a low percentage gross income tax on every person and business in the state to raise revenues for both counties and state above the 50 per cent collected through real estate taxes.

While there are objectionable features to a gross income tax, due to the fact that it pyramids through a tax on each turnover, controller Riley contends that this is partially offset by a huge tax base which would permit an exceedingly light tax, estimated at not more than 1 per cent.

The program is revolutionary in scope and will require thorough study before California farmers render their verdict. But, regardless of the merit or lack of merit in the plan itself, it is an attempt to solve the problem.

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Mrs. Roy Archibald entertained classmates of her son, Winfield Archibald, in honor of the lad's birthday last Friday.

Mrs. Lloyd Cook and Mrs. Bill Shadle presided at a charming bridge tea last Friday at the home of Mrs. Cook, entertaining Mrs. Henri Lecat, Mrs. Albert Herschbach, Mrs. Warren Berry, Mrs. Eugene Moore, Mrs. Leonard Shadle, Mrs. William Cooper, and Mrs. Bob Sherriff.

A poem by Robert Kingery Buell, former Campbell poet now living at Mountain View, was published in the February issue of World Business Digest. The poem was "Why?" from "The Pendulum."

The regular meeting of the Ada Rebekah lodge will be held next Tuesday, Feb. 21, with a special program, planned by a committee including Mrs. Al Covey, Mrs. W. R. Coupland, Mrs. Hattie Dunham, William Coupland and Al Covey, to be given.

Mrs. Robert Sherriff (nee Margaret Tutt) was surprised at her new home on Boston avenue with a "house-warming," by a coterie of friends which included Mrs. Wm.

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Stitching Club Card Party Set for Friday

An entertaining whist party will be given Friday, February 17, at 2:00 p. m. by members of the Ada Rebekah Stitching club.

Mrs. Lillian Ohlen, Mrs. Wilmay Lea, Mrs. Edda Eddlemon, and Mrs. Josephine LaBarbara are in charge of the affair.

The public is cordially invited to attend the party, for which a small admission will be charged.

The committee promises that there will be intriguing prizes and tasty refreshments as a fitting touch for a pleasant afternoon.

Cooper, Mrs. Homer Fletcher, Mrs. Henri Lecat, Mrs. Bill Shadle, Mrs. Lloyd Cook, Mrs. Albert Herschbach, and Miss Laura Pugh.

Miss Dorothy Mills suffered a painful injury to her eye Tuesday, when she was hit by a speeding tennis ball.

Members of the Sea Scout ship Cutter Bear, who will parade and act as ushers on Old Settlers' day, will be hosts to other Sea Scouts

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at an officers and mates' meeting in the afternoon and a board of reviews for quartermasters in the evening of Feb. 22.

Richard Shelley, local playwright, is the author of a play, "The Runaway," to be given over KPO Tuesday, Feb. 28, at 8:30 p.m.

The Methodist Ladies' Aid will meet Thursday afternoon at 2:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. M. J. Palmer, Central avenue.

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